

**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

George ZARRIS, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/022,896

Confirmation No.: 2077

Filed: December 20, 2001

For: BROADBAND RAMAN AMPLIFIER



Docket No: Q67643

Group Art Unit: 3663

Examiner: Deandra M. HUGHES

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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Sir:

An Excess Claims Fee Payment Letter, along with the required fee, is being concurrently filed with this Amendment.

A Petition for an Extension of Time, along with the required fee, is being concurrently filed with this Amendment.

In response to the Office Action dated March 16, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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